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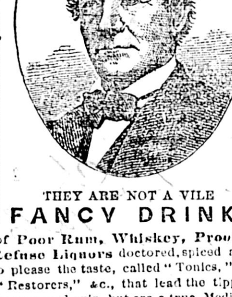

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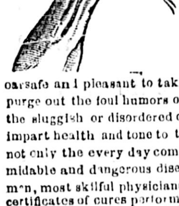

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Arrival and Departure of Mails at Victoria Post Office.

	ARRIVES.	DEPARTS.
Esquimalt..........	Twice Daily..........	Twice Daily
Saanich..........	Thursday..........	Wednesday
Metchosin..........	Monday..........	Tuesday
Nanaimo and Way Ports...	Thursday..........	Tuesday
New Westminster..........	Wednesday and Saturday..	Tuesday and Friday
Cariboo and Way Places...	Saturday..........	Friday
Canada, Great Britain and Europe	About 5th and 20th of each month	7th and 22nd of Each Month
*United States..........	Monday and Thursday........	Tuesday and Friday

* Mails for Canada will also be sent by this Route.

MONEY ORDERS.

MONEY ORDERS ON GREAT BRITAIN ISSUED AND PAID.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. sel 1y

Claret! Claret! Claret!

DURING THE SUMMER SEASON
PROMIS & SAUNDERS,
JOHNSON STREET,
Will Retail their celebrated

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J. BAGNALL,

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Pianos and Harmoniums for sale, Hire or Exchange, by J. Dean. Apply as above.

A Piano kept for the use of Pupils. au26 6m

Notices.

Public Notice to Mariners.

I AM DIRECTED BY THE HON THE Minister of Marine and Fisheries of the Dominion of Canada to publish the following Notice to Mariners, which has been issued by the Hydrographer to the Admiralty, London. B. W. PEARSE.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B C, Oct 23, 1871.

Notice to Mariners.

(No. 68)

NORTH AMERICA.—WEST COAST.

Buoys at the Entrance of San Francisco Harbor.

INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECEIVed that three Fairway Buoys have been placed as a guide for vessels crossing the Bar and entering San Francisco Harbour.

These buoys are placed in line with Fort Point, bearing N E ¾ E.

Outer Buoy—Black and White, is outside the Bar in 13½ fathoms, with the Middle Buoy bearing N E ¾ E, 5¼ miles and Fort Point 10 miles distant.

Middle Buoy—Black and White, is in 9¼ fathoms with the Inner Buoy bearing N E, ¾ E, 2¾ miles, and Fort Point 4¾ miles distant.

Inner Buoy—Black and White, is in 20 fathoms, between Bonita and Lobos Points, with Fort Point bearing N E. ¾ E, 21-6 miles.

Four Fathom Bank—Also, that the four fathom bank is marked by two black buoys. The buoy off the west end lies W by S ½ S, 3¼ miles from the buoy off the east end of the bank. The east buoy is in 5½ fathoms, W by S ¾ S, 1½ miles from Bonita Point.

It is said the west buoy cannot be depended on as remaining in position;

(All bearings are magnetic. Variation 15° 50′ Easterly in 1871.)

By command of their Lordships,
GEO. HENRY RICHARDS,
Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
28th August, 1871.

This notice affects the following Admiralty Charts—San Francisco Harbour, No 591. oc24 1m

Colony of British Columbia, Vancouver Island. To wit:

A COURT OF ASSIZE AND GENERAL Gaol Delivery is appointed to be held on THURSDAY, 7th day of Dec'r. proximo, at the Court House, Victoria, at the hour of ELEVEN in the forenoon, before the Hon Mathew Baillie Begbie and the Hon Henry Pering Pellew Crease, Justices of Our Lady the Queen, assigned to enquire, hear and determine all treasons, misprisons of treasons, felonies, misdeeds, offences and injuries, whatsoever and wheresoever within the said island committed, and also to deliver all the Gaols and every the Gaol of Our Lady the Queen in the said Island.

Proclamation is therefore hereby made in conformity to a precept directed and delivered to me, to all persons bound to appear at the said Court by recognizance or otherwise, to appear thereat, and all Justices of the Peace, Coroners, and other officers who have taken any inquisition, or the examination of any prisoner or witnesses, are required to return such recognizance, inquisition and examination to the said court, at the opening thereof, on the first day of its sitting.

Given under my hand at the Sheriff's Office, Victoria, on the 7th day of Nov'r, A.D, 1871.
no8 A.C. ELLIOTT, High Sheriff.

NOTICE.

IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS of the Land Registry Ordinance, 1870, I shall issue a Duplicate Certificate of Title to Town Lot number Four Hundred and eighty six (486), in lieu of the original Certificate which was lost, in the name of John N McDonald, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, unless objection be made to me in writing against the issue thereof.

HENRY S MASON,
Acting Registrar General
Land Registry Office, Sept 28th, 1871. se29 1m

NOTICE.

Land Registry Ordinance, 1870.

IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS of the Land Registry Ordinance, 1870, I shall issue a duplicate Certificate of Title to subdivisions 10 20 and part of 19, in section LXX+I, and subdivision 51 and part of 52 in section XXV, Victoria District, in lieu of the original certificate, which has been lost, in the name of Thomas Lee, at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, unless objection be made to me in writing in the meantime against the issue thereof.

HENRY S MASON,
Acting Registrar Gen'l.
Land Registry Office, Nov 2, 1871. no5

Notice.

ALL DEBTS DUE THE ESTATE OF the late John Wilkie must be paid to the undersigned on or before the 15th of December next, or they will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.
no1 d&w W B WILSON, Adm'r.

NOTICE

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE of the late Salven Gundersen, of Comox, must be sent to the undersigned for payment on or before the 1st day of January, 1872, to whom, also, all debts due said estate must be paid.

ADAM G HORNE, Administrator.
Comox, Oct 20th, 1871. no5 1d&w

NOTICE

URIAH NELSON & CO ARE PREPARED to undertake the prompt forwarding of freight from Yale to Cariboo, and will have teams in readiness to transport merchandise from Quesnelmouth to Williams Creek.

☞ They will not hold themselves responsible for damage to oils or liquids shipped in tin or glass, or for unavoidable detention caused by breakage of bridges, roadsides, or loss or damage of goods through, any other contingency beyond their control, unless by special contract made in writing in respect of such goods at the time of shipment.
jy4 6m URIAH NELSON & Co

A. CARD.

HAZELTON, B C, Sept 14th, 1871.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED CERTIFY that Messrs Cunningham & Hankin contracted with us to deliver in all Fifty thousand (50,000) pounds of Freight at Hazelton. Forks of Skeena, within twenty days from the date of the arrival of the steamer Otter at Port Essington, Skeenamouth, and that they have fulfilled their agreement by delivering our freight here in good order, twelve days from the date of departure from Port Essington, to our perfect satisfaction

J O FLOYD,
THOS CHARLES (HBCo
WM READ,
oc4 JAS. KEATING.

NOTICE.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE STEAMER "Sir James Douglas" being required to assist in repairing the Fraser River Buoys, the following alterations will be made in her trips along the coast,—

Monday, 30th October, to Nanaimo and way ports, returning to Victoria on Saturday, the 4th November.

Monday, 6th November, to Nanaimo and way ports returning to Victoria on Saturday the 11th.

By Command, B. W. PEARSE.
Lands & Works, Victoria, B C, Oct 23, 1871 oc24 3w

John Montgomery.

A NATIVE OF AUGHAVILLA, COUNTY Down, Ireland, when last heard from was at Sweetland, Nevada Co, California: supposed to be at work near Wild Horse Creek, British Columbia. Any information concerning him will be thankfully received by his brother, Alexander Montgomery, Santa Clara, California. no11 1&w

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning at his residence, James Bay, in the evening.
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NOTICE

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I will only accept COIN for RENTS as well as other payments to be made to me.
se30 Lo. LOWENBERG

Estate of Henry Mills, deceased.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST AND ALL DEBTS due the above Estate must be sent in for settlement on or before the 1st day of December ensuing, to the undersigned. JOHN STAFFORD, Executor.
Victoria, Nov 1, 1871. no2

Dentistry.

C. FRANCIS BARNARD, M. D.

SURGEON DENTIST,

DR, BARNARD HAS HAD FOR several months the "Perkins Hyatt" or "Celluloid Base," the newest and latest material adapted to the mounting of whole sets of teeth; he is also using "Whalebone-Rubber," which is rapidly supplanting, for single dentures or partial sets, the best vulcanites of the last 25 years.

We cheerfully add Dr. B's Card to our columns, convinced that his good taste and judgment, united to natural skill and ingenuity, aided by an extensive practice of upwards of thirty years, render his services more valuable and reliable than those of any other Dentist on the Sound, Coast or Island.

Dr. B's large experience may be readily seen in the happy and natural expression given his patrons by his life-like insertion of artificial Teeth.

The public may rest assured of patience, gentleness and undivided attention while under the Dr's hands, and that he will ever strive to be foremost in adopting helps and hints touching his own interest and that of his patrons.

See his case of Specimen Work in Mr Roberts' window first store north of London House.

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE—Douglas Street, between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store. Business hours from 8 a m till 5 p m.
Victoria, Nov 4, 1871. no5 d&w ls

T. J. Mills Bowden,

DENTAL SURGEON

HAVING IN USE THE LATEST improvements of both material and improvements can insure all Dental Operations performed according to the most aproved principles of the Profession.

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All kinds of Kitchen Furnishings,
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DIAMOND AND COARSE GRAIN
Gun and Rifle Powder.
FOR SALE AT
HENRY SHORT'S
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MUSIC.

MISS POLLARD BEGS TO intimate to her friends and the public generally that she is now prepared to give instruction on the Pianoforte, Melodeon and Organ.

For terms apply at the W. M. Parsonage, Broad street Victoria, Oct 1st, 1871 oc4

GEORGE'S MARKET,

JOHNSON STREET,
[Next door to Blum's Dry Goods Store.]
Dealer in Venison and all kinds of Game
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DR CHONG,

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Every description of Chinese Medicines for sale Fresh
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CAPTAIN SCHOLL,
Carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will leave Victoria for San Francisco on the 7th and 22d of each month.

For Passage or Freight apply to
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FOR YALE AND INTERMEDIATE LANDINGS on FRASER RIVER.

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Will leave NEW WESTMINSTER on Wednesdays and Saturdays, until further notice.

N B—The above Steamer will not be responsible for leakage of liquids shipped in tins or glass au18 tf

For Melbourne Direct.

WILL SAIL ON THE 1st NOVEMBER, the Fast Sailing Ship
"MAUD HELEN."
Captain.......... ....Martin.
Can accommodate 4 Cabin Passengers.
A. B. Seamen Wanted.
Apply to J NAGLE,
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MERCHANTS' LINE.

For San Francisco.

THE CLIPPER BARK
ADELAIDE COOPER,
HAWES..........Master,

Will commence loading for the above port at the Hudson Bay Company's wharf, on Thursday, Oct 26th, and will clear on Saturday, 28th inst.

For freight or PASSAGE apply to
R F PICKETT & CO,
oc25 Yates street.

British Bark Mountain Ash, from London.

THE MOUNTAIN ASH, CARE, from London, will commence to discharge cargo at Sproat & Co's wharf on Thursday morning the 26th inst.

Goods left on the wharf after 5 o'clock p m of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of consignees. Consignees are requested to pay freight to the undersigned, by whom delivery orders will be issued.

SPROAT & CO.
24th Oct, 1871. oc25

Bark Mountain Ash, from London.

NEITHER CAPTAIN CARE NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
oc25 SPROAT & CO.

THE VICTORIA
SKATING
ASSOCIATION.
ST NICHOLAS HALL
GOVERNMENT STREET,

RINK OPEN

From 10 a. m. to 12 m; from 2:30 to 5 p. m; from 8 to 10 Evening

Admission, 25cts; Use of Skates 25cts.

MONTHLY TICKETS:

GENTLEMEN..........$6 00
LADIES.......... 3 00
GENTLEMAN AND LADY.......... 8 0
August 5th, 1871 no1

F. S. BUSHELL.

PIANOFORTE TUNER & REGULATOR,
KANE STREET,
se26 VICTORIA, B. C.

HASTINGS SAWMILL COMPANY,

BURRARD INLET, B C

THE ABOVE MILL IS NOW IN FULL working order and capable of filling orders for

ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF

Lumber, Timber, Spars,

&c, upon as Reasonable Terms as any Mill on the Coast

QUICK DISPATCH GUARANTEED.

Orders received in Victoria by
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO,
Or in San Francisco by
no11 d w DICKSON DeWOLF & CO.

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IMPORTER OF
Dry Goods and General Merchandise,
21 1w WHARF STREET Victoria

Victoria Nursery

—AND—

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Annual Consignment of
DUTCH FLOWER BULBS

To arrive by next steamer direct from one of the best growers in Holland.

N.B.—To secure good Bulbs order early.

M & J's stock of

FRUIT TREES

Are this year in fine condition for planting and which, together with their

GENERAL NURSERY STOCK,

They offer at very moderate rates

NEW SEEDS for Autumn sowing for the farm and garden in stock.

GARDEN IMPLEMENTS of all kinds.

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One hundred per cent saved by sending all orders direct to M & J.

Occidental Buildings, Fort street,
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An Amended Franchise.

One of the first duties which will devolve upon the new Legislature, which is so soon to assemble, is the amendment of the Franchise Act passed last session. So far as we are able to recollect, that Act has been denounced in terms more or less severe at the hustings in every District, and nearly every member will come to the House under an expressed or implied pledge to have it amended. Under these circumstances, the amendment of the Act in question, during the first session of a House elected under its complex and illiberal provisions, may safely be regarded as a foregone conclusion. Not that there is any special reason for believing a general election imminent, although such a contingency is always possible under the present administration. But, without any special reference to the possibility of a general election, the faults of the Act cannot be cured too soon, more especially as they are a source of no little irritation and discontent among the people. It may not be altogether amiss to point out a few of the most objectionable features of the present Act, and indicate the nature of the changes necessary to meet the just expectations of the people. First, then, for the faults of the present Act. It is altogether too complex. Every voter would almost need a lawyer at his elbow. It disfranchises a large and by no means unimportant class of good subjects, for no better reason than that they are not possessed of real estate or do not live at a public boarding-house. The hired man who works for, say, forty dollars a month and board, is disfranchised because no direct payment of money for board can be established. The working man who "ranches" in his own cabin is disfranchised because he pays for "grub," instead of for his "board." The tenant is disfranchised because he pays thirty-nine dollars rent instead, of forty dollars. The head of a large family, who has spent the best part of his life in developing the resources of the country, is disfranchised because it was his misfortune to have his education neglected in Motherland. In all these instances the men may be most worthy, loyal, and respected subjects of the Queen, and they are in very many instances the "bone and sinew" of the country, but owing to the merest casualty they are shut out from the polls along with aliens. Such legal bars to the exercise of political rights might possibly not inflict any very great wrong in old settled countries: but here they exclude a large and important class at a time when the country needs the vote of every *bona fide* resident subject of the British Crown. Again, the elector can only vote in the particular Polling Division in which the qualification in respect of which his name has been placed on the Register happens to be situated. As the country is at present districted, this is a great hardship, and has been the means of preventing hundreds from voting. It has frequently happened that an elector has been close to a polling place within his District, yet one hundred and fifty, or even two hundred miles distant from *the* polling place. Every elector should have a right to vote at any one of the polling places within his District. What is wanted? Twelve months ago, come the 19th inst, we wrote upon the franchise and the reader will permit us to quote from the article:—

"The object to be sought is to give every intelligent man who owes his allegiance to the country and can prove himself a citizen a right to vote for those who legislate and make laws for the country; and in a new colony like British Columbia, where the popular element is necessarily new, a property qualification has less claim to consideration than that of manhood alone. * * * * As to what should be the qualification for a voter in this colony, we think it should be as large and free as compatible with system and right, and without overlooking the claims made for property representation. Were every male British subject of 21 years of age and upwards, who has paid either property, poll or income tax, to a Municipality or the Government, allowed to vote for a representative to the Legislature or a Municipal Council, no injustice would be done to any interest in the country, provided the proof of such qualification was duly registered for a period of three or six months previous to the election at which he votes."

Such are the views we expressed a year ago, and we have seen no reason to change them; but, on the contrary, the experience acquired in the general election through which the Province has just passed tends to confirm these views. At a time when Responsible Government is being introduced in a sparsly populated country it would appear extremely undesirable that any large class should be excluded. Let, then, the Franchise Act be simplified and made liberal enough to include every good British subject who is a *bona fide* resident of the Province, and thus a source of discontent will be removed and an element of strength brought to the Government.

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel and opposite the Colonist Office, on Government street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits. *

AUSPICIOUS 1872. — Its present outline shrouded in mystery like an impenetrable Victoria fog, settled upon sea and land, with a sky above so clear and beautiful. Each consecutive year since 1858 has appeared in various forms, with the same pertinacity, the announcement that Pocket and Office Diaries, and Almanacs are ready for the Season.—T. N. HIBBEN & Co. 3m*

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Colony.

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A WOMAN TO COOK AND DO GENERAL housework. Apply at This Office. no17 1w

Notice to Mariners.

IT IS HEREBY PUBLICLY NOTIFIED that the Lighthouse at the Mouth of Fraser River, having been seriously injured by the late gales, has been removed for repairs and will not be in position again for some time.

Due notice will be given of the date on which the Light will be re-lit.

J. W. TRUTCH,
For the Minister of Marine & Fisheries.
16th November, 1871. no17

PATENT SHEEP MARK!

THESE MARKS ARE THE CHEAPEST the most lasting, the least troublesome and most complete ever used. They are in use by the best Breeders of Ontario and the United States, such as Hon Geo Brown of Toronto, and Governor Crapo of Michigan.

On each mark is stamped the owner's name and the number of the sheep. They will be sent free by mail for only Four Cents each, and will last Twenty Years.

Cash must accompany all orders.

ARCHIBALD YOUNG, JR,
Sarnia, Ontario.

Orders addressed to This Office for any quantity will be filled at the abovementioned price as quickly as they can be received from the manufacturer. no12d&w

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

PROCLAMATION.

Electoral District of Victoria.
To wit

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the District of Victoria that, in obedience to Her Majesty's Writ to me directed and bearing date the 27th day of October, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy one I require the presence of the said Electors at the Police Barracks, Victoria, on Friday, the 24th day of November, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing Two persons to represent them in the House of Commons of Canada; and that in case a poll be demanded and allowed in the manner by law prescribed, such poll will be opened on Friday, the First day of December, at the undermentioned places, viz:

Victoria City—The Police Barracks.
Victoria District—The Schoolhouse, Fort street.
Esquimalt and Metchosin—Parson's Bridge Hotel.

The poll will be open at 9 o'clock a.m. and close at 5 o'clock p.m.

Of all which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Victoria, the 15th day of November, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

A F PEMBERTON,
no16 Returning Officer.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

PROCLAMATION.

Electoral District of Vancouver Island.
To wit

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the District of Vancouver Is. that, in obedience to Her Majesty's Writ to me directed and bearing date the Seventh day of Oct in the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy one, I require the presence of the said Electors at the Court House, Nanaimo on the 29th day of November, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a person to represent them in the House of Commons of Canada; and that in case a Poll be demanded and allowed in the manner by law prescribed, such Poll will be opened on the Sixth day of December, at the Court House, Nanaimo, for Nanaimo.

At the Government House, Comox, for Comox.
At Muir's, Sooke, for Sooke.
At the Royal Oak, Saanich Road, for Lake and Highland Districts.
At Wain's Hotel, North Saanich, for North Saanich.
At Eckstein's Hotel, Saanich, Road for South Saanich.
At the Court House, Cowichan, for Cowichan.
At at Ganges Bay, for Salt spring Island.
(The Poll will be open at 9 a m and close at 5 p m)

Of all which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

GIVEN under my hand at Victoria, the Fifteenth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

no16 A C. ELLIOTT, Returning Officer.

A CARD.

THE SISTERS OF ST. ANN, ENCOURAGED by the well known liberality of the people of Victoria, make an appeal to the public to assist them in the completion of their new Convent School and Orphan Asylum. Miss Kelley, Miss Lynan, Mrs Nicholson, Mrs Beckingham, Mrs Farron and Miss Cameron have been authorized to collect and receive donations on their behalf. no15

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

PROCLAMATION.

Electoral District of Esquimalt
To Wit:

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the District of Esquimalt that, in obedience to Her Majesty's Writ to me directed, and bearing date the Fourteenth day of November, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy one, I require the presence of the said Electors at the School House Esquimalt, on the 27th day of November at 12 o'clock at noon for the purpose of electing our person to represent them in the Legislature of this Province and that in case a Poll be demanded and allowed in the manner by law prescribed, such Poll will be opened on the second day of December, at

THE SCHOOL HOUSE ESQUIMALT, AND PARSONS BRIDGE—For the Polling Division of Esquimalt Highland and Metchosin.

MUIRS—For the Polling Division of Sooke.

Poll will be open from 8 a.m. to 4 p m

Of all which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Esquimalt the Fourteenth day of November, One thousand eight hundred and seventy-one

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
no15 Returning Officer.

RACES.

THE FOLLOWING RACES, POSTPONED from the 9th inst will take place on Beacon Hill on

SATURDAY, 18th NOVEMBER,
AT 1:30 O'CLOCK, P M.

1.—Hurdle Race of $5 each, with $50 added. Weight 10 stone. Heats, one mile, best two in three, over four flights of hurdle—each heat. Winners of previous hurdle races for the last two years to carry 10 lb extra.

ENTRIES—Mr F Reynolds' Grey Jim, Mr F Saunders' Birdcatcher, Mr S Sandover's Butcher Boy.

2.—Scurry Stakes of $1 each, with $25 added. Heat one mile. Catch weights. Open for every hing except winners of any of the previous races. Entrances to be made on the course.

BOOTHS, $10 EACH.

By order,
no14 R S BYRN, Hon Sec.

REMOVAL NOTICE!

JOHN DICKSON
DEALER IN
Stoves, Tin & Ironware
AND
COPPER-SMITH
Has removed to the
CLIPPER WAREHOUSE,
(Lately occupied by I. Franklin)
On Yates Street adjoining A Casamayou & Co's.
A Large Stock of Goods in His Line on Hand or Made to Order. no14 1m

Oak Wood For Sale.

400 CORDS OF OAK WOOD—Cut Two Years. Apply to C. J. KING, Fairfield Farm.
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STORE STREET, NEAR JOHNSON STREET,

IS NOW OPEN NIGHTLY.

An improved Style of Skates are in Use at this Rink.
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Devoe's COAL OIL!

PATENT CANS, LATEST STYLE.
The Genuine Article!
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HAS JUST RECEIVED A VERY LARGE assortment of

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Selected from the best that the San Francisco market affords, which he offers at the very

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ALSO—A VARIETY OF HOMEMADE BOOTS ON HAND.

BOOTS made to order in the most approved style from the Best Material.

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Money to loan and mortgages to loan, in accordance with the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rate oc 1 4 1m

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GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA,
1st August, 1871. oc1

Blankets,

For Sale by the undersigned,

Ex "Mountain Ash,"

2¾ POINT WHITE AND SCARLET Blankets.
3-Point White, Red, Green and Blue Blankets.
3½-Point White, Red and Green Blankets,
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BROGANS—NAILED AND UNNAILED.
Kip front lace Boots,
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Ladies' velvet and other Slippers,
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FROM the DISTILLERY of JOHN BEGG (Distiller to HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN, and HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES)

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And a well selected assortment of
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EXTRA FLOUR
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do STEWPANS
MASLIN KETTLES
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NURSERY LAMPS
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TOILET CANS
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QUOITS
SKITTLES
LADIES' GARDEN TOOLS
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Of every description, at prices to suit the Farmers

BREAD PLATTERS & KNIVES
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Iron and Steel.

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do	⅞	do
do	1	do
do	1⅛	do
do	1¼	do
do	1x⅜	Pick Steel

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And a variety of other Goods too numerous to particularize, at

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CONDUCTED BY
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Terms on application. se26 1y

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THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Friday Morning, Nov'r 17, 1871.

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Stmr Enterprise, Swanson, New Westminster

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Per stmr North Pacific, fm puget Sound—110 hogs, 75 sheep, 2 mules, 1 horse.

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmr North Pacific, from Puget Sound—Hayward, Stafford & Hicken, Reynolds, Fox.

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LUMMER & PAGDEN......Wharf street......Will sell at salesroom, Wines, Dry Goods, Clothing, Toys, &c. Also, at Bank B N A, at 10 45 a m, Tin Roofing.

NEWS! NEWS!

The "British Colonist" is the only Newspaper published at Victoria that receives the Latest Telegraphic Dispatches, as a comparison will prove. Late Telegrams appearing in any other paper are copied without credit 24 hours after they have appeared in the British Colonist. The circulation of the British Colonist being double that of any other Paper Published in British Columbia, it offers the best medium to Advertisers.

Later from Colville and the Rocky Mountains

Angus McDonald, Esq, of Colville, is down from a recent trip to the Blackfeet Plains. At the crest of the Rocky Mountains be met the N P R surveying party. The grade of the vast continent there is wonderfully level from either side until finally closing to a short, oblique, grassy summit through whose heart a tunnel of about 3000 yards would bind the road to both ends of its destination. The summit overlooks a stream leading into the river Missoula, and the road taking that course would run northwest to the alls of Callispellum, thence due west to the Pass of Sucqualmie and to Puget Sound. He thinks that course will be adopted. He remarks that the Canadian line of road is likely to pass the Rocky Mountains by one of the defiles of the 49 h parallel and the Pass of Mount Brown, whence doubling the Big Bend, cross the Columbia and bear to Thompson River by one or two Passes between the Rapids de Mort and the 49th parallel.

Mr McDonald says that the late visitation of the smallpox destroyed 300 halfbreeds and 2000 Blackfeet.

Mr McDonald has in his possession a curious specimen of a sea shell or oyster, which be picked up from one of the Rocky Mountain ridges. Another fine specimen rewarded his revolver in killing one of the old and shy black eagles peculiar to those mountains. The noble bird was nearly as white as a lamb with age, and the span of his talons was 11 inches. Mr McDonald says that a pang of regret possessed him as he saw the grand old bird grasp for his last effort a bunch of grass.

Remarking on scenery, he says there is nothing in the three celebrated British lakes—Ness, Lomond and Maree—equal to the stately beauty of the Lake of Silky or the remote sublimity of the two lakes of the Arrow.

He observes that all the stations on the Columbian waters and in the United States, belonging to the H B Co, are now closed.

Mr Work and Mr Haynes had gone to Kootenay with the Writs. Mr Moberly's party will winter at Kootenay. The deer are very low on the mountains and a severe winter is anticipated. The Canadian Railway surveyors' horses in the lower ridges of the Rocky Mountains will be in great danger if not withdrawn by this time, they having been already overtaken by a foot and a half of snow.

At Yale on Tuesday last there was a foot of dry snow and snow still falling.

Mr McDonald, while in the Rocky Mountains, near Pen d'Oreille, met a farmer who produced two crops of strawberries this year and beets weighing 32 lbs each.

Mr McDonald will remain in town about one week.

The Great Storm—Flood on the Fraser.—We await with a feeling of anxiety news from the Straits and the Coast, where the storm of Wednesday must have raged with almost unexampled fury. We have spoken in another paragraph of the injury sustained by the lightship and the detention of the steamer Enterprise inside the Fraser. The Enterprise lay at anchor for 20 hours at a point near Ladner's Farm. The wind blew directly up river, (a rather rare circumstance) and the steamer running in the teeth of the gale made less than three miles an hour. At Ladner's farm the breakers combed over the dykes, washing them away and flooding the land. The houses were surrounded with water and damage, it is feared, will be done to the stock. At a grazing-place near Ladner's the horses were standing in water up to their bellies. Capt Stamp's claim was not flooded.

Omineca.—Dr Carrall, who left Omineca on the 9 h Oct, reports very favorably of the mining prospects of the country. With the exception of Germansen Creek, nearly every other creek discovered will afford profitable employment. He looks upon the Omineca gold region as one which for many years will give occupation and remuneration to thousands of miners. The Ualinka country in that region is found to be rich in gold wherever prospected, and will no doubt next year be profitably mined. Manson Creek is considered the *William Creek* of Omineca and contains the best and richest claims. A deep channel has been discovered, which prospects well and from which rich deposits are anticipated. The population in Omineca will not be large this winter, as many have gone and are still going to the coast to winter, where they can live at much cheaper rates than they can on the Creeks. The best paying claims now are Peterson's a bench claim on Manson Creek, the Discovery and Irving on Lost Creek, are paying well. Black Jack or Elmore Gulch is paying well and has been doing so all the season. Upon the whole there is every reason to have faith in Omineca as a good mining country and that the damaging rumors of the failure of Germansen Creek will be overcome and set at naught by the result of another season's mining operations.

The death of Capt Joseph Binney, the oldest member of the Masonic fraternity in the Dominion and believed to be the second oldest on the continent of America, has just taken place at Bronte, Ontario.

Talk at the "Adelphi" Corner, Yesterday.

Cool old man to excited elector.—Why are you down on the New Ministry? It can't be for their meausres; it must be because of the men.

Excited elector—No, Holbrook and Robertson are good men in their way. Robertson has always held back and never expressed an opinion, or lost an hour's valuable time in politics because it might interfere with his business. Holbrook never would allow business to interfere with his opinion—but his opinion, well "you know how it is yourself." I think McCreight must have felt himself "powerful" weak to take in such material!

Cool old man—No; on the contrary, Gov Trutch and Mr McCreight both must have felt "powerful" strong to take in such material.

Exit Excited Elector flabbergasted.

Cool old man smiles on Patrick.

Mainland Items.—Capt Cooper has completed the task of relaying the buoys and has done the work well........ The potato crop is a partial failure on the Mainland, as on the Island........One of the crew of the bark Ada F Taylor, loading at Burrard Inlet, was struck on the head by a loose block and injured so seriously as to require the attendance of Dr Thornber from New Westminster............The Surveyors under the superintendence of Mr Homfray, have reached to a point nearly opposite to Hope. They have followed the right bank of the river from Yale. The weather has been very severe, the snow having continued falling since Friday evening last, and, as may be readily conceived......At Burrard Inlet, on Sunday last. Capt McKinnon brought up the bark M. to load at Moody's Mills, for Melbourne. The Chine et Havane sailed on Saturday, from the same establishment, for Valparaiso. There are now loading at *Moody's* the Ada F Taylor for Shanghai, the ship Helios, for Dunedin New Zealand, and the Bremen bark Emelia for Callao. The Jessie Stowe for Valparaiso, the Nellie Hastings for the Cape of Good Hope, the Kitty Coburn and the French bark Leon are loading at the Hastings Mills. The mills are both fully employed.

The Explanation. — Elsewhere will be found a letter from the Attorney General, explanatory of his position. We do not pretend to deny that the course be has adopted may be be within the letter of the law; but we do repeat that it is contrary to the spirit of Responsible Government. In so far as the paragraphs which be has produced from our own columns are concerned, we may be permitted to remark that the first was written by a member of our staff in consequence of what Mr McCreight said to him; and the second was only one of the street rumors with which the atmosphere was thick at that time. It cannot be denied, however, that it was currently reported before and at the election that another than Mr McCreight was likely to be called upon to form a Ministry, nor is it open to question that those familiar with the working of Responsible Government quite understood that Mr McCreight would not *necessarily* be Attorney General under the new organization. Australia is referred to for a precedent. We are aware that many strange things were done in Australia in the name of Responsible Government. The position we took yesterday is the true one, and has been in no way shaken by the Attorney General's explanation.

The Darwin Theory.—The Rev, Dr Foster, of Drew Seminary, read an essay on "Darwinism" before the *Methodist* Preachers' Association in New York the other day. Dr Foster is of the opinion that the human race was never a tribe of monkeys, and did not hesitate to say so. In this he is in the wrong. If Darwin is satisfied that his "anterior posterity" were monkeys, or baboons, or jackasses, or anything of the sort, why it is none of Dr Foster's business, and he oughtn't to meddle with that satisfaction in any shape or form. Darwin is probably better acquainted with the nature of his ancestry than anybody else, and it is very impolite in other people to attempt to discredit his history of the family. If Dr Foster is especially fond of producing learned disquisitions, let him leave Darwin to his convictions, and hurl himself against the popular but most monstrous theory that the moon is made of green cheese.—Courier-Journal.

The steamer Enterprise arrived from New Westminster yesterday at 12 o'clock, noon. The following came as passengers: Capt Raymur, Dr Carrall, Capt Cooper, E Brown, L Smith, Mr Donald, R Highland, H Lattimer, S Penny, Ryder and about a dozen others. The Enterprise arrived at the mouth of the Fraser on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, but in consequence of the heavy blow, was obliged to remain in the mouth of the river until six yesterday morning. The gale was very severe, causing heavy damage to the Light Ship, smashing the lantern, carrying away her masts and tearing up a portion of her deck. She will have to be taken to New Westminster to be repaired.

A New System in street railroading has been adopted in Buffalo. The companies propose to a difference in rates where persons go the entire length of the route, and where they go only part of the distance. Thus the fare from a certain point to either end of the line, or less, will be but little more than half the amount charged for the entire route.

The Yale Lytton Election — Correct State of the Poll.—The following were the official numbers at the close of the polls: Smith 53, Coxon 29, Kay 8, Semlin 29, Robinson 35, Lumby 17. It will be seen from the above that there is a tie between Coxon and Semlin, the casting vote resting with the Returning Officer, who will decide the matter. —Mainland Guardian.

Opposition Steam Co—A Company has been formed at Portland with a capital of $500 000 to run steamers on Puget Sound and to Victoria. The steamers are supposed to be the New World and the Wilson G Hunt. The first-named is to leave San Francisco on the first of December and the other will follow soon after.

Sentenced—Robert Wilson, the stranger, who has been in custody for several days under a charge of being a suspicious character, was yesterday sentenced to find security for his good behaviour for 12 months in two securities of $100 each and himself in $50, or in default six months imprisonment.

Suspicious Kar-ac-ter. -- James Newman appeared before the Police Court yesterday on a charge of being a suspicious character, and not being able to give a satisfactory account of himself was remanded for one week.

Assault. — Henry Clayton caused John Stevens to be summoned before the Police Magistrate yesterday to answer to a charge of assault. The accuser failed to sustain his charge and the case was dismissed.

For Melbourne.—The ship Maud Helen, Capt Martin, will sale to-day for the above port with a cargo of lumber from Hastings Mills, Burrard Inlet.

Pigs.—110 pigs came over on the North Pacific yesterday for Haywood's packing house.

The Damage to the Lightship. — During the terrific gale that swept across the Gulf on Wednesday the Lightship at the mouth of the Fraser received damages that will place her out of service for some weeks. One of the shrouds first gave way, and being driven against the lantern smashed it. The other shrouds then flew loose, the masts started lifting the deck, and finally fell over the side. The liveliest alarm was experienced by those on board, but fortunately the anchors did not drag. To-day the anchors—which are imbedded in 6 feet of sand — will be slipped, and the Enterprise will tow the Lightship to New Westminster where, she will be repaired. The damage done will cause a considerble outlay of money by the Dominion Government.

H M S Scout arrived at Esquimalt at 2½ o'clock yesterday afternoon and immediately saluted the flag of Rear Admiral Farquhar. The Scout is commanded by Capt Catur and was last on this station in 1868. She has come direct from Valparaiso in 44 days. The Scout was two days off Cape Flattery, being deterred from entering the Straits by heavy weather. Had she entered the Straits on Tuesday she would have made the shortest run from Valparaiso to Esquimalt on record. H M S Sutlej, in 1864, made the run between the two stations in 43 days, and the Cameleon, in 1866, made it in 45 days. The officers and crew of the Scout are all well.

The Dover Tunnel.—It is now estimated that two tunnels can be constructed under the British Channel at a cost of twenty-five million dollars, and there is no longer a doubt that the work will done. The first estimate was fifty millions, but the supposition then was that the bed was composed of hard rock. The latest theory is that it is composed of soft limestone and chalk.

The Re-election.—All things considered, we do not see that it would be desirable to offer any opposition to the re-election of the two Ministers. Let the patent Cabinet come before the House, should it be spared till that time, and the people's representatives will be prepared to give them a fair field and a first lesson in Responsible Government

Gone Again.—The cable between Lopez and San Juan Islands gave out again yesterday and telegraphic communication will not be re-established for some days. The Dominion Government will pay for repairing the break.

H M S Zealous.—The flagship, relieved by the arrival of H M S Scout, will sail for the Southern Coast and home in about a fortnight's time.

The Guardian says that the return of Mr Holbrook will be opposed by a candidate whose address will appear in the next Guardian.

From the Sound.—The steamer North Pacific, Capt Taylor, arrived from the Sound yesterday at 12: 30 p m with about 30 passengers and an Eastern mail and a quantity of live stock.

Sand Storm.—Between 50.000 and 60.000 sheep were overwhelmed and smothered by a sandstorm in Lower California.

An Organ Grinder has made his appearance in thes city. His services should be secured by the new Ministry.

The Attorney General and Re-election

Attorney General's Office,
16th November, 1871.

To the Editor of the Colonist newspaper.

Sir,—in your leading article of yesterday expressions are used which are calculated to induce the public to suppose that I was only Acting Attorney General at the time of election—that since that election I received an appointment to an office which vacates my seat, or that at least, in any case, it is only proper for me to resign my seat and go back to the constituency for the purpose of re-election, inasmuch as my continuance in office without such re-election was not then contemplated.

I may say, once for all, that I never was Acting Attorney, that the Gazette of the 26th August and my commission show that I was appointed *Attorney General* about that period. In neither the one nor the other does the word 'acting' appear; and inspection of the third section of the Constitution Act shows that a complete appointment was required. Had I not been as fully as possible in the possession of that office all acts of the Governor in Council, including the whole of the elections, would be invalid.

A further proof of the completeness of my appointment in August may be found in the fact that I still act under that commission.

With respect to your other objection I wish to say that I believe the friends who so kindly supported me at the late election generally understood that in no case would it be necessary for me to seek their suffrages on the formation of a Ministry, in which opinion it is very clear that you, sir, on the 17th October coincided, as appears from the following extract from your issue of that date:—

'Won't Have to Go Again —Hon J F McCreight, having been appointed Attorney General previous to the election, will not have to seek a re-election upon the formation of the Ministry.'

Again in your issue of the 18th there appears the following:—

'It is generally supposed that Mr McCreight will form the first Ministry.'

With respect to the suggestion that I shun an appearance before my constituency, I must again refer you to the Constitution Act, section 37 from which it appears that only by my 'acceptance of office' could a fresh Writ issue. This, of course, would require previous resignation of office on my part.

When duty prescribes that course I trust I shall promptly adopt it. At present I do not feel called upon to take up the time of the public, and of myself, with any such proceedings especially as I well recollect that the course I now pursue was adopted in the Colony of Victoria upon the introduction of responsible institutions by all the Ministers, without, as well as I can remember, any objection being taken even by opposition newspapers.

I am sir,
Your ob'd't servant,
J F McCreight.

Ida Lewis, since her marriage, legally bears the name of Wilson She prefers and only signs her maiden name, and through devotion to her invalid mother still resides at Lime Rocks, where she achieved her fame She has saved the lives of eleven drowning men, and although the fact was well known to the residents of Newport and vicinity, no recognition of her heroism was publicly made until her last rescue of two men in 1869 Although possessing an unusually delicate and fragile frame no sea has ever proved too rough for the daring heroine to brave.

The Reason Why.

Editor British Colonist.—Most persons with whom I have conversed within the past few eventful days appear at a loss to account for the appointment of the most unlikely man in the Colony to the most important seat in the Cabinet. Perhaps I may be able to throw some light upon the point. In September last a letter appeared in the New Westminster paper over the name of the individual in question. The subject of the letter was "The Railway Terminus," and its object was to show that the Canadian Pacific Railway must find a sole and final terminus at New Westminster, and that the idea of extending it, or even a branch of it, to Burrard Inlet must not be tolerated for a single moment, because to do that would tend to build up a fresh town, to the great injury of the "Royal City." In that letter he advocated the adoption of the "narrow gauge," upon which principle it was asserted that the whole line from the present railway system of Canada to the aforesaid "Royal City" of New Westminster could be built at an aggregate cost of fifty millions,—which trifling sum, he asserted, "*can be at once raised among my own friends.*" This letter was so timed as to appear in the local paper the very morning the Hon Mr Langevin was at the "Royal City," on his return from Cariboo, and the author spared no pains in thrusting it upon the notice of the Canadian Minister. His officiousness was rewarded by his being christened "Narrow Gauged Harry," by the Minister. It is to the words put in italics to which I desire to direct more particular attention. The Railway Mr Holbrook declares to be his hobby, and it is no trifling advantage to have a man in the Government amongst whose own friends fifty millions can at once be raised to carry out that hobby. And what office would be so appropriate as that assigned to him? I am aware that rumor has assigned the man's well known pliability as the reason of his appointment,—that the Lieutenant Governor still desires to be *de facto* Chief Commissioner. Probably both reasons may be taken together. And this is the man with whom the senior member for Esquimalt has allied himself!

E-QUIMALT.

Why Believe it, or Credit it?

The London Pall Mall Gazette fears that the city of Chicago has the power to ruin Canada. All that is needful is for Chicago to cut a canal thirteen feet deep through the belt of limestone which girts the southern bay of Lake Michigan, and then the waters that flow northward into the Gulf of St Lawrence will have instead to flow south into the Mississippi and the Gulf of Mexico The opinion which the Gazette thus gives is stated to be also that of the British Geographical Society. They say the variation of the height of the lakes above tide level is, until we come to the great fall of Niagara, but trivial; Lake Superior being 600 feet in height, Lakes Huron and Michigan 575 feet and Lake Erie 565, while Lake Ontario, into which the other lakes flow via Niagara, is but 232 feet. Therefore, if the Chicago people would cut a short canal with a fall of thirteen feet into the Illinois River, the flow of the lakes would go that way instead of towards Niagara; the St Lawrence the great river of Canada, would become very much smaller, and the Mississippi, the great American river, would become correspondingly deeper, affording an easily navigable channel from Lake Superior to the Gulf of Mexico; Niagara river would nearly dry up, and the grain and other produce of the West would go to Europe via New Orleans instead of the St Lawrence.

The U S census returns furnish another evidence of the fact, so often remarked, that the Indian race is rapidly disappearing under the influence of civilization. The first attempt to make a separate classification of the Indian population was made in 1860 and showed a total of 44 021, not including of course the savage tribes, but all those upon reservations or otherwise within reach of the census taker. The census of 1870 shows 25.731 or only 58 per cent of the population of ten years before. This may be partially accounted for by what appears to be an imperfect enumeration in Arizona, where the Indians are set down at 10 507 in 1860 and at only 1 309 in 1870, but even if there is an error in this the suggestive fact still remains that, while all other races and classes show an increase during the decade, the aborigines are rapidly fading away.

Speculations in Hair.—Speaking of the *petroleuses* of Paris, says a correspondent I am reminded of a scandal which will do to record with others. It is a known fact that all women who are condemned by the Magistrates for any kind of misdemeanor for a period of one or two months, are submitted to a mutilation which is a punishment to them a hundred times greater than the imprisonment. The first act of the director of the prison is to cut off the hair of such prisoners, and it has just come to light that ever since the 4th Sept last the prison directors have been making ... hair thus obtained. I do not ... one of these wretches has been punished, but the feeling was so strong when the fact was made public that M Dufaure ordered that all women condemned for less than five years should preserve their hair, and as for that of others it must be burned in their presence.

Magic Development. — Vanceboro, the name of a future city, situate at the spot where the European and North American Railway intersects the boundary line between Maine and New Brunswick, which a few months ago was a wilderness, is now a town of over one hundred dwellings, with a church, school house, hotel, blacksmith shop, and a saw mill—but as yet without a whisky saloon. So much for railroads in the East.

Mr C A Noltemier has returned from San Francisco with a splendid assortment of boots and shoes of the latest styles, which he will sell at low prices. Boots made to order and warranted to fit. Repairing neatly done.—Government street, next to the St Nicholas Hotel. *

Remember the Fate of Absalom.—Fred Payne, Tonsorial Artist. Shaving 12½ cents Hair Cutting 25 cents, Shampooing 25 cents That Original Cheap Shaving Shop stand on the sunny side of Johnson treet. *

The Tammany Thieves.

William M Tweed, Richard B Connolly, Peter B Sweeney and A Oakly Hall, are the master thieves of the New York Democratic Ring, who have just been pilloried before the eyes of the whole world. A cotemporary presents these facts in relation to these great thieves and their success in plundering the public for their own benefit: On the 1st of October, 1861, Tweed was discharged from bankruptcy and the height of his ambition was to be the Foreman of 'Big Six' Fire Engine Company. He then became a referee lawyer—without knowing the difference between a fee simple and a fee-tail—and a politician. In May, 1868, he became connected with the New York City Government, and from the first day of the month until the 15th July, 1871, he purchased and acquired real estate valued at $4,474,954. During the same time he engaged in various 'business' pursuits, representing a value to him to-day of $2 520,000, making a grand total of $6.994 954 in three years' operations. From June, 1865, until October, 1871, Controller Connolly purchased real estate and bonds to the value of $3 300 691. Sweeney's purchases in three years amounted to $1.479.736—making a total which these three master swindlers have made out of their connection with the city government in three years of $10.775.-381. The smaller fry have made sums smaller in proportion. The late Auditor, Watson, in two years on a small salary succeeded in amassing $277 000 in real estate, and Mayor Hall has purchased an estate worth $150.000. To say that these Ring leaders have honestly accumulated these vast sums would be insulting the honest men who work for years and years, with equal skill and judgment, without accumulating enough to buy a small sized stable from William M Tweed.—Portland Oregonian.

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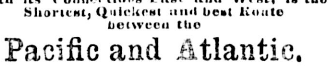

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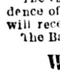

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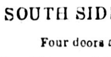

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The measures that a member of the House of Commons may be called on to deal with being different from those of a member of the local legislature, being in their nature more national, it is doubtless expected that I, as a candidate, should advert to at least some of them that more directly concerns your interests. I will say, then, that having been one of the earliest advocates of a Canadian Transcontinental Railway, I shall, if elected, consider it to be my paramount duty in view of making it a grand national success, to insist that the Terminus shall be at Esquimalt, and that the line shall traverse the entire South-Eastern Coast of the Island from Johnson Straits.

Under the Terms of Union with the Dominion, it is the province of the local legislature, and not of the Dominion Parliament, to decide as to the kind of tariff that the people of British Columbia deem to be best suited to their varied industrial interests during the next ten years. Should, however the question come before the Dominion Parliament, I shall endeavor to have the tariff so framed as to meet with the concurrence of the agricultural, mining and commercial interests of your district,

As the Dominion now possesses exclusively the right to manage our postal and telegraphic affairs, I shall endeavor to secure for the Eastern Coast a bi-weekly mail steamer of a superior class to the one now plying on the coast,—and also better mail facilities in each settlement; and as I deem it to be of great importance commercially to have the most rapid means of transmitting intelligence between Nanaimo and Victoria, I shall urge on the Federal Government the importance of the early construction of a telegraph line to connect the two principal towns in the province.

The increasing importance of the commerce of the Gulf of Georgia renders it necessary to have more lighthouses. I shall therefore make the most strenuous exertions to induce the Federal Government to build a lighthouse at Nanaimo at once and to erect others elsewhere as soon as possible, to ensure greater safety and certainty in navigating the Gulf.

With respect to the Indians I will urge that they be settled on Reservations, under the superintendence of Government agents, where they may, with the assistance of the Government, be taught the arts of civilization, and thus have their social, moral and religious conditions rapidly improved.

The question of the early construction of a Marine Hospital at Nanaimo I deem to be deserving of serious consideration.

The Geological Survey now begun will doubtless be of great practical advantage to the country,—and anything that I may be able to do to ensure the geological exploration of the vast mineral wealth of your district shall not escape my attention.

The fisheries along our coast promise to become very profitable, and as the Dominion Government has agreed to extend its protection and encouragement to that valuable and important branch of industry, I will endeavor to secure for your district its full share of any aid that may be appropriated for that purpose.

Not being able at this time to explain my views at greater length, I will take an early opportunity to meet you personally and collectively in the different settlements, when I may bring under your notice other questions of a Provincial and Dominional character,

In conclusion, Gentlemen, if you should do me the honor to return me to the House of Commons as your representative, I pledge myself to faithfully serve your interests to the best of my ability.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
your obedient servant,
ROBERT WALLACE

Victoria B C, August 3d, 1871. au11

Vancouver Island District.

To the Electors of Sooke, Lake, Saanich, Cowichan, Salt Spring, Nanaimo and Comox:

GENTLEMEN.—While traveling through your district in July last I was the recipient of very great encouragement to offer myself as a candidate for the Parliament of the Dominion, of which this Province now so rapidly forms a part.

In soliciting your support at the forthcoming election it becomes my duty to express my views on Dominional politics having a direct bearing upon the interests of British Columbia, which I shall do as briefly as possible

I shall be a staunch supporter of the present Government of Canada so long as that Government shall administer the affairs of the Dominion in general, and of this Province in particular, in a satisfactory manner.

Knowing the feasibility of the Canadian Pacific Railroad from personal observation along the greater part of the probable line of route, and having advocated such an enterprise in my "Overland Journal," published in Ontario as well as on this coast for the past twelve years, I shall endeavor, by every means in my power, to bring that grand undertaking to a successful termination at Esquimalt or some other harbor on Vancouver Island.

I may here say that I am not in favor of introducing Coolie labor, either on the Railroad or other Public Works and will strenuously resist any attempt in that direction

Should the Tariff problem not be solved by the Local Legislature, but a modification of the Canadian Tariff, in so far as agricultural produce is concerned, recommended, I shall make every possible effort to secure its adoption by the Dominion Parliament.

I am fully of the opinion that the Federal Government will place mail communication on a thoroughly efficient footing from Sooke to Comox, long before the reopening of Parliament. Should this, however, not be the case, I shall, if elected as your representative, see that every settlement is duly cared for in this important particular.

The subject of Immigration is one of great moment and shall always have my earnest support both in the House and elsewhere. With increased demand for agricultural produce, farm laborers will be required in every settlement. These will soon locate on unoccupied lands, together with men of small capital, and in their turn become producers. Their place will then have to be filled by others, so that a steady stream of immigrants from the Eastern provinces particularly would be the greatest possible boon to this part of the Dominion.

The early commencement and completion of a Dry Dock at some Island port, and I think Nanaimo has a strong claim upon such a work, shall not be overlooked.

I shall advocate Vote by Ballot at Municipal, Local and Federal Elections till that great reform becomes the law of the land.

Telegraphy, Lighthouses, Harbor Improvements, Hospitals, Asylums, Penitentiaries, Fisheries, Geological and other surveys, together with the Indian question and other subjects that will be continually presenting themselves, shall have my constant consideration and advocacy wherever conducive to the material prosperity of the province in general and my constituency in particular

I rest my claims upon your support, gentlemen, on my long residence in the Eastern Provinces and on this Coast—my intimate knowledge, from actual travel of the wants of every agricultural and nearly all the mining districts of the Province my unswerving support of Confederation and the Railroad since '59 and my having no special connection with any particular interest, commercial agricultural or mining. I am thus enabled to look upon them all from an independent and impartial standpoint; and in advocating their best interests to assist in raising this Province of almost illimitable resources to the proud elevation it will soon attain as the Western outlet of the Great Dominion.

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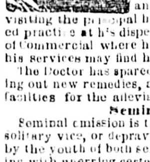

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